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Case Docket No: 04905.010

Date: November 26, 2003

In re application of  
**Douglas Williams**

Serial No.: 10/684,923

Filed: **October 14, 2003**

For: **Multi-Color Brush Handle**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment, check for \$185.00, and an Information Disclosure Statement with Form 1449 and copies of four references for filing in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	31	MINUS	20*	11	X \$18/9	\$ 99.00
INDEPEN- DENT CLAIMS	5	MINUS	3	2	X \$86/43	\$ 86.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: \$185.00						

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits the following preliminary amendments to the above-referenced application. These amendments are preliminary in that no Office Action has been received in this matter.

Consideration of the additional claims is respectfully requested.

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